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### NOTICES TO MARINERS.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to direct that the following Notices to Mariners be published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,

EVERARD IM THURN,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 27, 1904.

BENGAL.—No. 397.

*Bay of Bengal—Coromandel Coast—Negapatam Roadstead—Position of a Sunken Vessel marked by a Green Wreck Buoy.*

With reference to Notices to Mariners No. 349, dated November 23, 1901, and Nos. 267 and 268, dated September 15, 1902, issued by this office, the following Notice to Mariners (No. 60 of 1903) issued by the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, is republished for general information.

This office Notice to Mariners No. 49, dated August 29, 1902, is cancelled; and in supersession of Notices to

Mariners No. 57, dated September 13, 1901, and No. 48, dated August 28, 1902, it is hereby notified:—

I.—A green wreck buoy marks the site of a sunken vessel, various stumps of which are only 12 ft. below surface of water, with the following bearings:—

Negapatam lighthouse	... S. 65° W. Cor. Mag.
Nagore minaret	... N. 26° W. "
Negapatam north pillar	... N. 84° W. "
Negapatam south pillar	... S. 33° W. "
Depth of water on Chart	... 24 ft.

II.—A green wreck buoy is placed in position in 25 ft. L. W. S. T. over a sunken obstacle of conical shape projecting 8 ft. above bottom, with the following bearings:—

Negapatam lighthouse	... N. 77° W. Cor. Mag.
South port limit pillar	... S. 63° W. "
North port limit pillar	... N. 60° W. "
Nagore high minaret	... N. 28° W. "
Depth of water on Chart	... 25 ft.

E. J. BEAUMONT, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, December 15, 1903.

## BENGAL.—No. 398.

*Australia—New South Wales—Norah Head Lighthouse  
—Date of Exhibition of Light.*

The Secretary of the Department of Navigation, Sydney, has given notice, dated October 22, 1903, that a light at Norah Head will be exhibited on or about November 15 next and thereafter.

Approximate position: lat. S.  $33^{\circ} 16' 44''$ , long. E.  $151^{\circ} 36' 02''$ .

The light, which will be exhibited from a concrete tower, painted white, 77 ft. high, will be a second order dioptric white light, giving a flash of one-fifth of a second duration every five seconds.

The elevation of the light will be 151 ft. above sea level, and the light will be visible at a distance of about  $18\frac{1}{2}$  nautical miles in clear weather.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 1,021.

E. J. BEAUMONT, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, December 15, 1903.

## BENGAL.—No. 399.

*Pacific Ocean—Mariana or Ladron Islands—  
San Luis d'Apra—Beacons established to  
mark Submarine Cable.*

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 943 of 1903) that the under-mentioned beacons have been established in San Luis d'Apra harbour to mark the direction of the submarine telegraph cable:—

- (a) A beacon post, 28 ft. high, painted in black and white horizontal bands, and surmounted by a white diamond-shaped topmark, has been erected on the reefs in a position from which Fort Santa Cruz bears S.  $9^{\circ}$  W., distant  $3\frac{1}{10}$  cables, and the northern extremity of the coast about Gabgab beach S.  $78^{\circ}$  W.
- (b) A similar beacon is erected in a position from which Santa Cruz Fort bears S.  $38^{\circ}$  E., distant  $4\frac{1}{2}$  cables, and the northern extremity of the coast about Gabgab beach S.  $71^{\circ}$  W. The above beacons in line S.  $83^{\circ}$  E. mark the direction of the telegraph cables. Mariners are requested to anchor to the northward of this line.

Approximate position, Santa Cruz Fort: lat.  $13^{\circ} 25\frac{3}{4}'$  N., long.  $144^{\circ} 39'$  E.

Variation,  $2^{\circ}$  easterly in 1903.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port San Luis d'Apra on Chart No. 1,101; also Pacific Island, vol. I., 1900, page 443; and China Sea Directory, vol. IV., 1894, page 195.

E. J. BEAUMONT, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, December 21, 1903.

## BENGAL.—No. 400.

*China Sea—Singapore Strait, South Channel—Carter  
Shoal—Existence and Particulars given.*

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 944 of 1903) of the existence of a coral patch, which has been named Carter Shoal, with a least depth of 3 fathoms over it at low-water springs in South channel, Singapore strait, in a position  $4\frac{6}{10}$  miles S.  $30^{\circ}$  W. from the Horsburgh lighthouse on Pedra Branca.

Approximate position: lat.  $1^{\circ} 16'$  N., long.  $104^{\circ} 22'$  E.

This shoal, which is 50 yards long and 30 yards wide, has, in addition to the danger above-mentioned, a number of pinnacle heads with depths over them of 4 and 5 fathoms, and 8 to 11 fathoms between them. Around the shoal are depths of 12, 15, and 20 fathoms.

Variation,  $2^{\circ}$  easterly in 1903.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 941a; China sea, No. 2,660a;

Malacca strait, No. 1,355; Banka strait to Singapore, No. 2,757; Singapore strait, No. 2,403; also Chira Sea Directory, vol. I., 1896, page 239.

E. J. BEAUMONT, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, December 21, 1903.

## BENGAL.—No. 401.

*Australia, North-east Coast—Coral Sea—Coringa Islands—  
Existence of a Coral Bank to the Southwestward.*

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 946 of 1903) of the existence of a bank on which a sounding of 7 fathoms was obtained, situated at a distance of  $8\frac{1}{2}$  miles, S.  $67^{\circ}$  W. from South-west island, Coringa islands.

Approximate position: lat  $17^{\circ} 0\frac{1}{2}'$  S., long.  $149^{\circ} 49'$  E.

This ship passed over this bank at noon, whilst the meridian altitude of the sun was being obtained, the bottom, composed of coral and sand, being plainly discernible, so it is probable that there may be less water over it than 7 fathoms. The bank appeared to extend about one mile in a northerly and southerly direction, and one-third of a mile in an easterly and westerly direction. The depths gradually increased to the westward, and at one mile from the bank a sounding of 42 fathoms was obtained, and no bottom at 100 fathoms at a distance of two miles from it.

Variation,  $7^{\circ}$  easterly in 1903.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Pacific, No. 780; Australia, northern portion, No. 2,759a; Coral sea, No. 2,763; also Australia Directory, vol. II., 1898, page 542.

E. J. BEAUMONT, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, December 21, 1903.

## BENGAL.—No. 402.

*India, South—Ceylon, West Coast.—Colombo Light-  
vessel—Light altered.*

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 956 of 1903) that the light shown from the light vessel moored off the south end of the north-west breakwater, Colombo harbour, has been altered from red fixed to green fixed.

Approximate position: lat.  $6^{\circ} 57\frac{1}{2}'$  N., long.  $79^{\circ} 50\frac{3}{4}'$  E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Ceylon, south coast, No. 813; Colombo harbour, No. 914; also List of Lights, part VI., 1903, No. 291; West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 95; Supplement, 1903, to that work, page 5; Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 73; and Supplement, 1903, to that work, page 1.

E. J. BEAUMONT, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, December 21, 1903.

## BENGAL.—No. 403.

*China Sea—Rhio Strait—Pulo Sau—Light altered.*

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 318, dated June 15, 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 958 of 1903) that on October 3, 1903, the character of Pulo Sau light, Rhio strait, was altered from white fixed to white occulting every twenty seconds, thus: light, fifteen seconds; eclipse, five seconds; but it is in other respects unchanged.

Approximate position: lat.  $1^{\circ} 3'$  N., long.  $104^{\circ} 11'$  E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Banka strait to Singapore, No. 2,757; Rhio strait, No. 2,413; Singapore strait, No. 2,403; also List of lights, part VI., 1903, No. 539; and China Sea Directory, vol. I., 1896, page 523.

E. J. BEAUMONT, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, December 21, 1903.

## BENGAL.—No. 404.

*China—Pechili Strait—Siau Chu Shan—Reported Extension of Shoal.*

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 960 of 1903) that information dated September 23, 1903, has been received through the Board of Trade that the shoal off the south point of Siau chu shan (Little Bamboo island) extends further to the southward than shown on the Chart.

Its exact size has not been ascertained, but it has been marked as extending half a mile from the south point of the island.

Approximate position : lat.  $38^{\circ} 0\frac{3}{4}'$  N., long.  $120^{\circ} 52\frac{3}{4}'$  E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Pechili strait, No. 1,392 ; also China Sea Directory, vol. III., 1894, page 569.

E. J. BEAUMONT, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, December 21, 1903.

## BENGAL.—No. 405.

*Africa, East Coast—Mozambique Harbour—Beacon established—Light intended—Buoy.*

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 964 of 1903) that a stone beacon, 20 ft. high, painted in red and white horizontal bands, has been erected on the islet situated at a distance of one cable S.  $36^{\circ}$  W. from Cabeinha point with Harp Shells spit beacon light, bearing N.  $64^{\circ}$  W.

Approximate position: lat.  $15^{\circ}$  S., long.  $40^{\circ} 46'$  E.

It is intended to exhibit a fixed light from this beacon, showing green over Leven bank and the South channel, and white between Leven bank and Fort Sebastian.

Also that the south-eastern extremity of Leven bank is now marked by a small red can buoy, in a depth of 18 ft., and situated at a distance about 4 cables N.  $22^{\circ}$  W. from Fort Sebastian flagstaff.

Variation,  $10^{\circ}$  westerly in 1903.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Conducia, Mozambique, &c., No. 653 ; Mozambique Harbour, No. 652 ; also List of Lights, part VI., 1903, page 16 ; Africa Pilot, part III., 1897, pages 295, 296 ; and Supplement, 1900, page 25.

E. J. BEAUMONT, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, December 21, 1903.

## BENGAL.—No. 406.

*Eastern Archipelago—Malay Peninsula—Malacca Strait—Arang Arang (Port Dickson) Anchorage—Light altered.*

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 974 of 1903) that on November 10, 1903, the white fixed light on the centre of the pier at Arang Arang anchorage was replaced by a white occulting light every fifteen seconds, thus : light, ten seconds ; eclipse, five seconds ; this light, which is dioptric of the fifth order, is elevated 25 ft. above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 9 miles ; and when in line N.  $59^{\circ}$  E. with the red fixed light on the mud flat to the north-eastward of the pier, leads over the sandbank at the entrance to the harbour to the anchorage.

Approximate position : lat.  $2^{\circ} 31\frac{1}{4}'$  N., long.  $101^{\circ} 47\frac{1}{4}'$  E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Pulo Berhala to Cape Rachado, No. 794 ; Cape Rachado to Singapore, No. 795 ; plan of Arang Arang anchorage on Chart No. 1,143 ; also List of Lights, part VI., 1903, No. 420 ; and China Sea Directory, vol. I., 1896, page 178.

E. J. BEAUMONT, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, December 28, 1903.

## BENGAL.—No. 407.

*Pacific Ocean, North—Hawaiian Islands—Oahu—Pearl River Bar—Dredged Channel.*

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 983 of 1903) that a channel 200 ft. wide and 30 ft. deep at low water has been dredged through the bar of the Pearl river on the south coast of Oahu. A note to this effect has been placed on the Chart.

Approximate position : lat.  $21^{\circ} 18'$  N., long.  $157^{\circ} 58'$  W.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—River Pearl and Lochs, No. 2,264 ; also Pacific Islands vol. III., 1900, page 224 ; and Supplement, 1903, page 15.

E. J. BEAUMONT, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, December 28, 1903.

## BENGAL.—No. 408.

*Japan—Kiusiu, West Coast—Shirase Light—Re-exhibited.*

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 349, dated October 31, 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty, has given further notice (No. 984 of 1903) that on October 20, 1903, the unwatched fixed light showing red and white sectors was re-exhibited in a newly constructed cylindrical concrete tower, 12 ft. high, painted white, erected on Shirase, Sasebo approach. The light is elevated 46 ft. above high water, and shows red from the bearing of west, through north, to east, and white in other directions.

On the same date the temporary unwatched white fixed light would be discontinued.

Approximate position: lat.  $33^{\circ} 5\frac{1}{2}'$  N., long.  $129^{\circ} 37\frac{1}{2}'$  E. Variation,  $4^{\circ}$  westerly in 1903.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Nagasaki to Karatsu, No. 359 ; also List of Lights, part VI., 1903, No. 841 ; China Sea Directory, vol. IV., 1894, page 511 ; and Supplement, 1898, to that work, page 28.

E. J. BEAUMONT, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, December 28, 1903.

## BENGAL.—No. 409.

*Eastern Archipelago—Sumatra—North-east Coast—Langkat River Entrance—Colour of Light altered.*

With reference to No. 98, dated April 18, 1902, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 985 of 1903) that the colour of the rear leading light (fixed) on the eastern point of entrance to the Langkat river has been changed from white to red, and the power of the light increased, but in other respects, it is unaltered.

Approximate position : lat.  $3^{\circ} 59\frac{1}{2}'$  N., long.  $98^{\circ} 29\frac{1}{2}'$  S.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Diamond Point to Pulo Berhala, No. 1,353 ; also List of Lights, part VI., 1903, No. 397 ; China Sea Directory, vol. I., 1896, page 79 ; and Supplement, 1899, page 7.

E. J. BEAUMONT, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Port Officer of Calcutta

Calcutta, December 28, 1903.

## BENGAL.—No. 410.

*Pacific Ocean—Philippine Islands—Mindoro—Port Galera—Rocky Patch.*

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 987 of 1903) of the existence of a rocky patch, with a least depth of 10 ft. over it, in the northern Part of port Galera,

situated with the southern extremity of Medio island, bearing N. 75° W., distant 150 yards, and Telegraph hill N. 6° E.

This patch is 120 yards long in an easterly and westerly direction, and 40 yards wide.

Approximate position : lat. 13° 31' N., long. 120° 57 $\frac{3}{4}$ ' E.

NOTE—The above positions are given according to the scale of the present Chart, but a recent survey shows that the true scale is about one-third smaller than that shown ; in other respects the Chart is fairly correct.

Variation, 1° easterly in 1903.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Port Galera, &c., on Chart No. 949 ; also Eastern Archipelago, part I., 1902, page 228.

E. J. BEAUMONT, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, December 28, 1903.

BENGAL.—No. 411.

*Pacific Ocean—The Philippines—Masbate Island—Bugui Point Light—Period altered.*

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 10, dated January 9, 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 988 of 1903) that on November 10, 1903, the period of Bugui point light (group flashing) would be altered from thirty to about ten seconds, thus : red flash ; eclipse four seconds ; white flash, eclipse one second ; white flash, eclipse four seconds.

Approximate position : lat. 12° 36 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' N., long. 123° 15' E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—The Philippine islands, No. 943 ; St. Bernardino and Mindoro straits, No. 2,577 ; also List of Lights, part VI., 1903, No. 602 ; and Eastern Archipelago, part I., 1902, page 342.

E. J. BEAUMONT, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, December 28, 1903.

BENGAL.—No. 412.

*Pacific Ocean—The Philippine Islands—St. Bernardino strait—Kapul Island Light.—Alteration in Character.*

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 177, dated May 23, 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 989 of 1903) that on November 10, 1903, the light on Kapul island, St. Bernardino strait, was altered from a white fixed light to a white group flashing light, showing groups of three flashes in quick succession every thirty seconds, the eclipse between the groups being five times as long as that between the flashes. The new light would be visible in clear weather from a distance of 18 miles. The light is of the third order.

Approximate position : lat. 12° 29' N., long. 124 9' E°.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—San Bernardino and Mindoro straits, No. 2,577 ; Molucca passage to Manila, No. 943 ; also List of Lights, part VI., 1903, No. 601 ; and Eastern Archipelago, part I., 1902, page 350.

E. J. BEAUMONT, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, December 28, 1903.

BENGAL.—No. 413.

*Pacific Ocean—The Philippine Islands—Luzon and Cuyo Islands.—Lamon Bay—Reef reported—Cuyo Island—Bank reported to the Westward.*

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 990 of 1903) that the following reefs are reported to exist in the under-mentioned positions in the Philippine Islands :—

(1) Lamon bay, east coast of Luzon. A reef on which the U. S. Army transport " Sumner " struck is reported to

be situated at a distance of 5 miles N. 16° W. from Paranja point, with the northern end of Alabat island bearing about S. 78° W.

Approximate position : lat. 14° 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' N., long. 122° 9' E.

(2) Cuyo island, Cuyos group. The captain of the coastguard cutter Balabac reports the existence of a bank of sand and coral, with a depth of 7 to 9 fathoms over it, situated with Pandan island bearing S. 43° E., distant 2 $\frac{1}{4}$  miles, and the summit of Bisukay S. 80° E.

Approximate position : lat. 10° 50' N., long. 120° 51 $\frac{3}{4}$ ' E.

Variation, 1° easterly in 1903.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—The Philippine islands, No. 943 ; St. Bernardino and Mindoro straits, No. 2,577 ; Sulu or Mindoro sea, No. 2,578 ; also Eastern Archipelago, part I., 1902, pages 374, 88.

E. J. BEAUMONT, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, December 28, 1903.

BENGAL.—No. 414.

*Eastern Archipelago—Borneo, East Coast—Makassar Strait—Pulo Bunju—Kruys Reef to the South-eastward.*

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 991 of 1903) of the existence of a coral reef named Kruys reef, with a least depth of 2 $\frac{1}{4}$  fathoms over it, in the approach to Sesajap river, situated at a distance of about 4 miles S. 68° E. from the south-eastern extremity of Pulo Bunju.

The channel along the southern coast of this island is therefore not recommended.

Approximate position : lat. 3° 25 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' N., long. 117° 56' E.

Variation, 2° easterly in 1903.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—China sea, No. 2,660b ; Sulu Archipelago, &c., No. 2,576 ; Strait of Makassar No. 2,636 ; also Eastern Archipelago, part II., 1893, page 341.

E. J. BEAUMONT, Comdr., R.I.M.,  
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, December 28, 1903.

MADRAS.—No. 62 OF 1903.

*India, East Coast—Vizagapatam—Light established.*

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 51 of 1903 it is further notified that on December 16, 1903, a white fixed light was established at Vizagapatam at an elevation of 40 ft. above high water, and visible from seaward in clear weather from a distance of 12 miles between the bearings of N. 10° W through west and S. 50° W. The light, which is of the second order (the light power being 4,250 candles), is shown from a masonry tower 52 ft. high, erected near the fort flagstaff.

Approximate position : lat. 17° 42' N., long. 83° 18' E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Bay of Bengal, Orissa Coast, Narasapur river to Bimlipatam, No. 1,711 ; also India (sheet 4), Bay of Bengal, Cocanada to Bassein River, No. 829 ; and Chart No. 70 of Indian Ocean, Bay of Bengal.

T. H. BAKER,  
for Presidency Port Officer.

Presidency Port Office,  
Madras, December 18, 1903.

**Total Quantities of the following Articles exported from the Ports of Colombo and Galle during the under-mentioned Periods.**

Vessel.	Date of Clearing.	For what Port.	Plantation Coffee.	Native Coffee.	Tea.	Cacao.	Trunk Cinchona.	Branch Cinchona.	Cinchona Chips.	Cocoanuts.	Copra.	Cocanut Oil.	Cocanut Poonac.	Cinnamon.	Cinnamon Oil.	Citronella Oil.	Cardamoms.	Ebony.	Plumbago.	Coir Rope.	Coir Junk.	Coir Yarn.	Coir Fibre.	Sapan-wood.	Oreilla.	Kitul Fibre.	Deer Horns.
	1904.		cwt.	cwt.	lb.	cwt.	lb.	lb.	lb.	No.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	lb.	oz.	oz.	lb.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	lb.	lb.	cwt.	cwt.
<b>COLOMBO.</b>	1904.																										
ss. Orizaba ...	18-1	London ...	—	—	226729	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Sydney ...	18-1	Marseilles ...	—	—	9110	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Dumbia ...	18-1	Australia ...	—	—	1350	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Edward Bary...	18-1	Dalny ...	—	—	24375	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Isla de Luzon...	18-1	Barcelona ...	—	—	4050	50	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15000*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Armond Behic	19-1	Marseilles ...	—	—	12751	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Somali ...	19-1	London ...	—	—	116925	440	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Congella ...	19-1	Cape Port ...	—	—	7800	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Moldavia ...	19-1	Australia ...	—	—	119769	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Cheshire ...	20-1	London ...	—	—	831828	763	—	—	—	71455	2300	6802	1000	17500†	—	—	8682	—	2525	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Chusan ...	20-1	Bombay ...	—	—	13481	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17596	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Sethonia ...	21-1	Kobe ...	—	—	55559	24	4480	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	211	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Polynesian ...	21-1	China ...	—	—	16155	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	350	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Himalaya ...	22-1	Marseilles ...	—	—	1701	136	2247	—	—	—	—	502	—	10000‡	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Kawatchi Maru	22-1	London ...	—	—	91278	279	—	—	—	75400	1257	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1499	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Malta ...	22-1	China ...	—	—	12110	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Clan Cumming	22-1	London ...	—	—	204290	379	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Kamakaru Maru	22-1	Yokohama ...	—	—	26950	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Nairang ...	22-1	Bombay ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Trieste ...	23-1	Trieste ...	—	—	11665	—	—	—	—	—	2000	5552	—	11000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>GALLE.</b>																											
ss. Clan Macleod...	19-1	London ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	16600	—	3009	—	—	—	160	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Nadir ...	20-1	Calcutta ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Clan Grant ...	22-1	London ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

\* Chips 5,600 lb. † Chips 11,200 lb. ‡ Chips 1,601 lb. § Chips. || Chips 16,800 lb.

**Importation of Rice from Indian and other Ports during the Week.**

**TO COLOMBO:—**

From Calcutta ...	...	Bags	76,294
Tuticorin ...	...	"	7,959
Ammapatam ...	...	"	362
False Point ...	...	"	4,039
Poore ...	...	"	2,864
Gopalpore ...	...	"	2,520
Negapatam ...	...	"	1,801
Cochin ...	...	"	9
Bombay ...	...	"	25
Coconada ...	...	"	4,332
Madras ...	...	"	900

Total Bags 101,105

**TO GALLE:—**

From Calcutta ...	...	Bags	7,539
Southern India ...	...	"	16,314
		<b>Total Bags</b>	<b>23,853</b>

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, January 25, 1904.

W. H. JACKSON,  
Principal Collector.

Ceylon Government Railway—Comparative Statement of Traffic for the Month ended  
November 30, 1903.

Receipts from	Month ended November 30, 1902.			Month ended November 30, 1903.			Increase— 1903 over 1902.			Decrease— 1903 below 1902.	
	No.	Rs.	c.	No.	Rs.	c.	No.	Rs.	c.	No.	Rs. & c.
Passengers, Ordinary and Special	475,382	217,296	50	471,793	224,006	54	—	6,710	4	3,589	—
Coolies ...	6,244	5,624	2	3,832	4,309	12	—	—	—	2,412	1,314 90
Season Tickets ...	2,561	7,167	79	2,998	8,676	51	437	1,508	72	—	—
Parcels and Mails ...	53,507	21,842	38	60,090	21,660	27	6,583	—	—	—	182 11
Horses, Carriages, and other Coaching Traffic	1,784	2,556	5	1,772	3,197	95	—	641	90	12	—
Goods (Tons) ...	42,295	390,040	86	45,079	406,281	54	2,784	16,240	68	—	—
Live Stock ...	5,311	2,227	0	2,041	1,383	57	—	—	—	3,270	843 43
Miscellaneous ...	—	4,186	64	—	4,259	20	—	72	56	—	—
Total for the Month	—	650,941	24	—	673,774	70	—	22,833	46	—	—
Brought forward from previous return ...	—	6,594,876	91	—	6,880,940	61	—	286,063	70	—	—
Total from Jan. 1 to Nov. 30, 1903	—	7,245,818	15	—	7,554,715	31	—	308,897	16	—	—
Corresponding period of previous year ...	—	—	—	—	7,245,818	15	—	—	—	—	—
Increase ...	—	—	—	—	308,897	16	—	—	—	—	—
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Traffic Train Mileage, January 1 to November 30, 1903	—	—	—	1,394,842	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corresponding period of previous year ...	—	—	—	1,288,047	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Increase ...	—	—	—	106,795	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Decrease ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Particulars of Goods conveyed.	Month ended November 30, 1902.	Month ended November 30, 1903.	Increase in 1903.	Decrease in 1903.	Nett-Increase or Decrease from January 1 to November 30, 1903.	
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Increase in 1903.	Decrease in 1903.
First class Goods...	28	42	14	—	81	—
Kerosine Oil, 2nd class	141	121	—	20	—	439
Other 2nd class ...	851	795	—	56	—	269
Rice, 3rd class ...	10,596	10,609	13	—	4,242	—
Arrack, 3rd class...	285	285	—	—	476	—
Cacao, 3rd class ...	647	379	—	268	—	184
Salt, 3rd class ...	386	531	145	—	525	—
Other 3rd class ...	4,110	4,885	775	—	3,582	—
Coffee, 4th class ...	27	18	—	9	—	208
Cocoanut produce, 4th class	1,643	2,126	483	—	4,180	—
Poonac, 4th class...	598	666	68	—	917	—
Tea, 4th class ..	5,392	6,045	653	—	3,106	—
Timber, all classes	210	465	255	—	—	1,083
Other 4th class ...	1,788	2,025	237	—	2,155	—
Other 5th class ...	1,344	1,646	302	—	1,374	—
Tea packing, 3rd and 6th classes...	1,090	1,292	202	—	865	—
Manure, 3rd and 6th classes	1,294	1,522	228	—	9,230	—
Plumbago, 3rd and 6th classes	1,241	1,157	—	84	751	—
Other 6th class ...	1,276	1,380	104	—	4,057	—
Breakwater Material	4,896	2,869	—	2,027	—	18,428
Irrigation Department	—	—	—	—	1,056	—
Railway Material for extension ...	603	256	—	347	2,315	—
Railway Material for existing line	3,572	5,465	1,893	—	5,734	—
Bulk Petroleum ...	256	434	178	—	340	—
Liquid Fuel ...	—	54	54	—	338	—
Free Goods ...	21	12	—	9	1	—
	42,295	45,079	5,604	2,820	45,325	20,611

## TRADE MARKS NOTIFICATIONS.

**I**N compliance with the provisions of the "Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 and 1890," and the Regulations made on March 28, 1889, notice is hereby given that Messrs. F. J. & G. de Saram of Colombo have applied on behalf of Messrs. Lipton, Limited, of City road, London, Tea Planters and Merchants, who claim to be the proprietors thereof, for the registration of the following Trade Mark in all sizes and in all colours or combinations of colours for Tea in Class 42 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations.

The essential particulars of the said Trade Mark are as follows :—

1. The design of the label as shown below.
2. The words "MADDEMA BRAND" as shown therein.
3. The applicants claim the right to use every kind of type in the printing of the words "MADDEMA BRAND."

The applicants disclaim the right to the exclusive use of the added matter in the



Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 19, 1904.

EVERARD IM THURN,  
Colonial Secretary.

**I**N compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 and 1890," and the Regulations made on March 28, 1889, notice is hereby given that Messrs. Julius & Creasy of Colombo have applied on behalf of Goodlass Wall & Company, Limited, of 42 and 44, Seel street, Liverpool, in the County of Lancaster, England, Paint, Colour, and Varnish Manufacturers, who claim to be the proprietors thereof, for the registration of the following Trade Mark for Oils used in manufactures (and not included in other classes), Turpentine, Resin, and Dyes (not included in other classes), in Class 4 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations.

# EMPIRE

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 19, 1904.

EVERARD IM THURN,  
Colonial Secretary.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 and 1890," and the Regulations made on March 28, 1889, notice is hereby given that Messrs. Julius & Creasy of Colombo have applied on behalf of Goodlass Wall & Company, Limited, of 42 and 44, Seel street, Liverpool, in the County of Lancaster, England, Paint, Colour, and Varnish Manufacturers, who claim to be the proprietors thereof, for the registration of the following Trade Mark for Paints, Pigments, Colours and Varnishes, and Mineral Dyes in Class 1 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations.

# EMPIRE

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Colombo, January 19, 1904.

EVERARD IM THURN,  
Colonial Secretary.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 and 1890," and the Regulations made on March 28, 1889, notice is hereby given that Messrs. Julius Creasy of Colombo have applied on behalf of Goodlass Wall & Company, Limited, of 42 and 44, Seel street, Liverpool, in the County of Lancaster, England, Paint, Colour, and Varnish Manufacturers, who claim to be the proprietors thereof, for the registration of the following Trade Mark for Oils used in manufactures (and not included in other classes), Turpentine, Resins, and Dyes (not included in other classes), in Class 4 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations.



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Colombo, January 19, 1904.

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Colonial Secretary.

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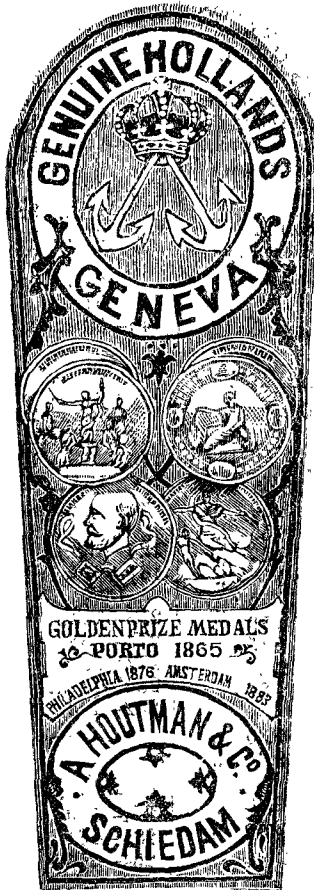
Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 19, 1904.

EVERARD IM THURN,  
Colonial Secretary.



IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 and 1890," and the Regulations made on March 28, 1889, notice is hereby given that Mr. John Hagenbeck of Chatham street, Fort, Colombo, Merchant, who claims to be the proprietor thereof, has applied for the registration in his name of the following Trade Mark in all sizes and in all colours or combination of colours for Fermented Liquors and Spirits in Class 43 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations.

The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the two anchors surmounted by a Crown as shown in the design. The applicant disclaims any right to the exclusive use of the added matter.



Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 25, 1904.

EVERARD IM THURN,  
Colonial Secretary.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 and 1890," and the Regulations made on March 28, 1889, notice is hereby given that Messrs. R. F. de Saram & Alvis have applied on behalf of Messrs. Hanappier & Company, Merchants, Bordeaux, in the République of France, who claim to be the proprietors thereof, for the registration of the following Trade Mark for Fermented Liquors and Spirits in Class 43 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations.

The essential particulars of the Trade Mark consist of a rectangular label printed in black on white ground. At the top of the label is a coat of arms surmounted by a helmet. In the coat of arms is a wild boar's head and over it a white band surmounted by two stars. Just below the coat of arms the name of Hanappier & Co. is printed, and the said printing may be done in any kind of type.



*Hanappier & Co.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 25, 1904.

EVERARD IM THURN,  
Colonial Secretary.

## MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

## MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

NOTICE is hereby given that in the absence of movable property liable to seizure, the under-mentioned property seized in virtue of a warrant issued by the Chairman of the Municipal Council of Colombo, in terms of the 149th clause of the Ordinance No. 7 of 1887, for arrears of consolidated rate due on the premises and for the period mentioned in the subjoined schedule, will be sold by public auction on the spot at the time therein mentioned, unless in the meantime the amount of the consolidated rate and costs be duly paid.

The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, January 25, 1904.

W. B. DE SARAM,  
for Secretary.

## SCHEDULE.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
Date of Sale : Monday, March 7, 1904.		
Mutwal street.		
210	4th quarter, 1901, to 3rd quarter, 1903	8.45 A.M.
210A-208	Do.	8.50 "
211-206...	Do.	8.55 "
211A-209	Do.	8.60 "
213	Do.	9 "
214	Do.	9.5 "
215-216...	Do.	9.10 "
216-217...	Do.	9.15 "
217-218...	Do.	9.20 "
218-211...	Do.	9.25 "
219	1st quarter, 1902, to 3rd quarter, 1903	9.30 "
222-221...	2nd and 3rd quarters, 1903	9.35 "
163	1st quarter, 1902, to 3rd quarter, 1903	9.40 "
102-99...	3rd quarter, 1903	9.45 "
Date of Sale : Tuesday, March 8, 1904.		
Mutwal street.		
1	1st quarter, 1900, to 3rd quarter, 1901	7 A.M.
4-2	4th quarter, 1901, and 1st quarter, 1902	7.7 "
8-6	4th quarter, 1899	7.15 "
9-7	1st quarter, 1902	7.22 "
16-16	3rd quarter, 1899, to 3rd quarter, 1901	7.30 "
15A/E-14...	1st to 3rd quarter, 1901	7.37 "
15C-15	Do.	7.45 "
69	3rd quarter, 1901	7.52 "
70/70A-78	Do.	8 "
72A-73	4th quarter, 1900	8.7 "
78A-70	3rd quarter, 1901	8.15 "
143-145...	1st to 3rd quarter, 1901	8.22 "
150A-152...	Do.	8.30 "
152-158...	2nd quarter, 1901	8.37 "
153-159...	1st to 3rd quarter, 1901	8.45 "
156	3rd quarter, 1901	8.52 "
177-180...	2nd quarter, 1900, to 3rd quarter, 1901	9 "
198-192...	4th quarter, 1901, and 1st quarter, 1902	9.7 "
201-195...	1st quarter, 1901	9.15 "
223-222...	2nd quarter, 1899, to 3rd quarter, 1901	9.22 "
Quarry road.		
1	1st quarter, 1900, to 3rd quarter, 1901	9.30 A.M.
Marshall street.		
7	1st to 3rd quarter, 1901	9.37 A.M.
13A	3rd quarter, 1901	9.45 "
18	1st to 3rd quarter, 1901	9.52 "

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
Wall's lane.		
1	3rd quarter, 1901	10 A.M.
Date of Sale : Wednesday, March 9, 1904.		
Modara street.		
6-6	3rd and 4th quarters, 1901 and 1st quarter, 1902	7 "
7-7	3rd quarter, 1901	7.7 "
11-11	4th quarter, 1901, and 1st quarter, 1902	7.15 "
11A-12	Do.	7.22 "
15-21	3rd quarter, 1901	7.30 "
16-24	2nd quarter, 1901	7.37 "
17-27	2nd and 3rd quarters, 1901	7.45 "
34-45	3rd quarter, 1901	7.52 "
44-57	Do.	8 "
45-58	4th quarter, 1901, and 1st quarter, 1902	8.7 "
55-68	1st to 3rd quarter, 1901	8.15 "
56-69	Do.	8.22 "
66-78	3rd quarter, 1901	8.30 "
67-79	2nd quarter, 1901	8.37 "
116-132...	3rd quarter, 1901	8.45 "
126A-154...	2nd and 3rd quarters, 1901	8.52 "
126-155...	1st quarter, 1900, to 3rd quarter 1901	9 "
126-153...	Do.	9.7 "
167-256...	3rd quarter, 1901	9.15 "
159	Do.	9.22 "
273-183...	Do.	9.30 "
274-188...	Do.	9.37 "
277-180...	Do.	9.45 "
280-190...	Do.	9.52 "
282-198...	Do.	10 "

Date of Sale : Thursday, March 10, 1904.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
Modara street.		
283-182...	3rd quarter, 1901	7 A.M.
284-179...	Do.	7.7 "
285-181...	Do.	7.15 "
254-214...	Do.	7.22 "
254B-212	1st to 3rd quarter, 1901	7.30 "
256-219...	3rd quarter, 1901	7.37 "
257-258 } 199 }	Do.	7.45 "
264-158...	Do.	7.52 "
266-161...	2nd and 3rd quarters, 1901	8 "
266A-160	3rd quarter, 1901	8.7 "
267-169...	Do.	8.15 "
271-171...	Do.	8.22 "
179A-280	Do.	8.30 "
188-189 } 307-308 }	1st quarter, 1902	8.37 "
196-320...	1st to 4th quarter, 1901, and 1st quarter, 1902	8.45 "
318	3rd quarter, 1901	8.52 "
319	Do.	9 "
235-287...	Do.	9.7 "
240-265...	Do.	9.15 "
253-253A } 210 }	Do.	9.22 "
Wall's lane.		
5	1st to 3rd quarter, 1901	9.30 A.M.
33	3rd quarter, 1901	9.37 "
Elig House road.		
33	1st quarter, 1902	9.45 A.M.
34	Do.	9.52 "
35	Do.	10 "

Date of Sale : Friday, March 11, 1904.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
Madampitiya.		
231	1st to 3rd quarter, 1901	7 A.M.
232	Do.	7.7 "
245	4th quarter, 1901, and 1st quarter, 1902	7.15 "
247	1st quarter, 1902	7.22 "

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
Alutmawata.		
3—244 ...	3rd quarter, 1901	... 7.30 A.M.
27—250 ...	1st quarter, 1902	... 7.37 "
35—273 ...	4th quarter, 1901, and 1st quarter, 1902	... 7.45 "
59—308 ...	2nd quarter, 1900, to 3rd quarter, 1901	... 7.52 A.M.
60c—314...	3rd quarter, 1901	... 8 "
62A—286...	4th quarter, 1900, to 3rd quarter, 1901	... 8.7 "
83—303 ...	3rd quarter, 1901	... 8.15 "
118—317...	1st quarter, 1902	... 8.22 "
119—121 }	Do.	... 8.30 "
318—320 }		
122—321...	3rd quarter, 1901	... 8.37 "
128—328...	1st quarter, 1902	... 8.45 "
140—339...	2nd and 3rd quarters, 1901	... 8.52 "
144—157 }	Do.	... 9 "
342—353 }		
187—188 }	1st quarter, 1902	... 9.7 "
20—21 }		
266—57 ...	3rd and 4th quarters, 1901, and 1st quarter, 1902	... 9.15 "
268—55 ...	1st quarter, 1902	... 9.22 "
269—80 ...	1st quarter, 1900, to 3rd quarter, 1901	... 9.30 "
269—81 ...	Do.	... 9.37 "
277—88 ...	1st to 3rd quarter, 1901	... 9.45 "
299 }	4th quarter, 1899	... 9.52 "
168—169 }		
306A ...	1st quarter, 1900, to 3rd quarter, 1901	... 10 "
Date of Sale : Saturday, March 12, 1904.		
Alutmawata.		
307—162...	3rd quarter, 1901	... 7 A.M.
308—137...	Do.	... 7.7 "
360B—116...	Do.	... 7.15 "
Blomendahl.		
10 ...	1st to 3rd quarter, 1901	... 7.22 A.M.
16 ...	Do.	... 7.30 "

THE following is a list of the properties seized for non-payment of arrears of consolidated rates, the sales of which have been postponed. Sales to commence at 8 A.M. each day :—

Premises.	Original Date of Sale.	Date postponed to
Arab place ... 4	Jan. 7, 1904	Feb. 2, 1904
Messenger street 98	Jan. 16, 1904	do.
Silversmith lane 18	Jan. 19, 1904	Feb. 9, 1904
Do. ... 19	do.	do.
Do. ... 20	do.	do.
Ferry street ... 55A	Feb. 1, 1904	do.
Kotahena street 99B	Jan. 16, 1904	Feb. 10, 1904
Symonds road ... 3	Jan. 19, 1904	Feb. 11, 1904
Kotahena street 119	Jan. 15, 1904	Feb. 15, 1904
Messenger street 68	Jan. 16, 1904	Feb. 16, 1904
Do. ... 49	Jan. 15, 1904	do.
Cemetery street ¼	Jan. 16, 1904	do.
Do. ... 45	do.	do.
Wilson's street... 16	Jan. 18, 1904	do.
Do. ... 17	do.	do.
Do. ... 18	do.	do.
Do. ... 50	do.	do.
Do. ... 51	do.	do.
Do. ... 55	do.	do.
Do. ... 56/58...	do.	do.
Do. ... 91	Jan. 19, 1904	do.
Do. ... 92	do.	do.
Do. ... 93	do.	do.
Do. ... 94	do.	do.
Do. ... 95	do.	do.
Ferry street ... 1	do.	do.
Do. ... 2	do.	do.
Do. ... 3	Jan. 20, 1904	do.
Do. ... 3A	do.	do.
Pickering's road 50/54...	Jan. 18, 1904	Feb. 26, 1904
Do. ... 55/56...	do.	do.
Armour street... 13A	Dec. 22, 1903	Feb. 2, 1904

The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, January 25, 1904.

W. B. DE SARAJ,  
for Secretary.

### LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

#### LOCAL BOARD OF KURUNEGALA

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board of Health and Improvement, Kurunegala, for the Year 1903.

REVENUE.		Amount.	Total.	EXPENDITURE.		Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Balance on January 1, 1903	...	—	6,870 43	Salaries of establishment	...	2,505 97	
<i>Taxes.</i>				Office contingencies	...	296 71	
Assessment tax	...	2,811 3		Revenue services...	...	760 2	
Commutation tax	...	3,941 70		Police charges	...	403 39	
Tax on carriages, carts, horses, &c.	...	205 0		Sanitary charges...	...	6,983 95	
Registration fee & poundage on dogs	...	280 25	7,237 98	Law expenses	...	101 50	
Licenses	...	—	17,246 30	Public works	...	10,923 71	
<i>Fines.</i>				Contribution towards the cost of audit	...	167 5	
In Local Board cases	...	641 90		Refunds	...	11 0	22,153 30
Fines (Circular 122 of June 30, 1898)	...	673 0					
On road defaulters	...	100 0	1,414 90				
Rents	...	—	401 0				
Sundries	...	—	4,296 6				
			37,466 67	Balance on December 31, 1903...	...	—	15,313 37
							37,466 67

I, Stephen Montagu Burrows, do hereby swear that to the best of my knowledge and belief the above is a true and correct account of all moneys received and paid by me on account of the Local Board, Kurunegala, and that the balance is in the hands of the Government Agent.

Sworn to before me at Kurunegala this 13th day of January, 1904 :

ABRAM GOONEWARDENE,  
Unofficial Police Magistrate.

S. M. BURROWS,  
Chairman.

I, Fredrick Nell Daniels, a Member of the Local Board of Health and Improvement, Kurunegala, do hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the above is a true and correct account of all moneys received and paid on account of the Local Board, Kurunegala.

FRED. DANIELS,  
Member.

**Statement of the Probable Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board of Health and Improvement,  
Kurunegala, for the Year 1904.**

REVENUE.	Amount.		EXPENDITURE.	Amount.	
	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Balance on December 31, 1903 ...	—		Salaries of establishment ...	—	2,340 0
<i>Taxes.</i>			<i>Office Contingencies.</i>		
Assessment tax ...	2,932	0	Cost of printed forms and stationery ...	125	0
Contribution in lieu of Govern- ment buildings ...	307	50	Repairs to office furniture ...	10	0
Commutation tax ...	4,000	0	Rail fare and cart hire on parcels... ..	20	0
Tax on carts, carriages, horses, &c.	200	0	Subscription to <i>Government Gazette</i> ...	15	0
Registration fee, &c., on dogs ...	250	0	Advertisement charges ...	35	0
		7,689	Cost of postage stamps ...	30	0
<i>Licenses.</i>			Uniform to inspector ...	60	0
Butchers ...	28	50			295 0
Hackeries, carts, &c. ...	5,225	0	<i>Revenue Services.</i>		
Liquor ...	1,372	75	Commission to collector on road tax, assessment tax, and tax on carriages, carts, horses, &c. ...	560	0
Firearms ...	37	77	Cost on tin plates for carts ...	225	0
Notaries ...	128	25	Marking and affixing tin plates to carts ...	150	0
Proctors ...	228	0	Remuneration to assessors ...	45	0
Opium licenses ...	4,500	0	Assessment of Local Board buildings ...	35	55
License to sell poison, petroleum, explosives, &c. ....	114	0	Petty expenses ...	30	0
		11,634			1,045 55
<i>Fines.</i>			<i>Police Charges.</i>		
By Police Magistrate ...	1,200	0	Cost of dog collars and seizing and destroying dogs ...	—	400 0
On road defaulters ...	100	0	<i>Sanitary Charges.</i>		
		1,300	Cost of scavenging the town ...	4,900	0
<i>Rents.</i>			Cost of disinfectants ...	150	0
Rent of Town Hall and gardens ...	—	350	Pay of coolies for removing night soil and repairs to carts ...	1,400	0
<i>Sundries.</i>			Pumping water for flushing drains ...	350	0
Slaughter-house fees ...	1,570	0	New cattle shed for cart bulls ...	630	0
Poundage recovered by seizure of stray cattle ...	125	0	Erecting new latrine on Saunders street ...	686	78
Latrine service ...	1,680	0			8,116 78
Cemetery collections ...	160	0	<i>Law Expenses.</i>		
Contribution from Government for latrine on Saunders street ...	460	0	Fees to lawyers, &c. ...	—	250 0
Miscellaneous receipts ...	125	0	<i>Public Works.</i>		
		4,120	Repair and upkeep of town roads ...	3,000	0
			Lighting street lamps, oil, cost of repairs, &c. ...	1,900	0
			Clearing and improving Local Board grounds ...	400	0
			Repairs to Local Board buildings ...	500	0
			Painting and repairing fences, garden seats, &c. ...	250	0
			Cost of tools ...	200	0
			Clearing peat from tank ...	2,000	0
			Improvements to Rajapihille ...	160	0
			Wire fence round Rajapihille ...	154	80
			Wall round cemetery for pauper burials ...	500	0
			Town drainage ...	10,000	0
			Acquisition of lands, cattle pound, &c. ...	750	0
			Pay of jail guards ...	360	0
			Wages of cemetery-keeper, hire for digging graves, and cost of house for keeper ...	420	0
			Wages of Town Hall-keeper, small- pox hospital, cattle pound, and Rajapihille ...	300	0
			Repairs to and winding town clock ...	80	0
			New cattle pound, watcher's hut, cooly lines, &c. ...	2,000	0
			Interest and sinking fund on loan ...	2,133	34
					25,108 14
			Audit charges ...	—	250 93
			Refunds ...	—	30 0
					38,336 40
			Balance ...	—	2,070 74
					40,407 14
		40,407			40,407 14

Kurunegala, January 13, 1904.

S. M. BURROWS, Chairman.  
FRED. DANIELS, Member.

## LOCAL BOARD OF PUTTALAM.

## Statement of the Probable Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board of Puttalam for the Year 1904.

REVENUE.			EXPENDITURE.		
	Amount.	Total.		Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Taxes.</i>			<i>Establishment.</i>		
Assessment tax ...	2,700 0		Salaries of secretary and inspector and pay of peon ...	—	2,160 0
Commutation tax ...	1,800 0		<i>Office Contingencies.</i>		
Dog tax ...	100 0		Stationery, books, &c. ...	—	300 0
On carriages not plying for hire ...	150 0	4,750 0	<i>Revenue Services.</i>		
<i>Licenses.</i>			Commission on assessment tax recoveries ...	300 0	
Carts and boats ...	1,400 0		Commission on commutation tax recoveries ...	180 0	
Firearms ...	25 0		Cost of tin plates ...	35 0	
Under Explosives Ordinance ...	6 0		Petty expenses ...	60 0	
Retails of spirits ...	855 0		Remuneration to assessors ...	105 0	680 0
Retail of opium ...	1,500 0		<i>Police Charges.</i>		
Butchers ...	15 0		Killing dogs ...	—	30 0
Proctors and notaries ...	200 0	4,001 0	<i>Sanitary Charges.</i>		
<i>Fines.</i>			Contractor for supplying carts to scavenge the town ...	1,296 0	
By Police Magistrate ...	—	150 0	Pay of scavenging coolies ...	816 0	
<i>Rents.</i>			Pay of latrine coolies ...	450 0	
Fish market ...	1,200 0		Hire of bull to draw the night soil cart ...	182 50	
Vegetable market ...	900 0		Pay of watcher, female latrine ...	48 0	
Gala ...	500 0	2,600 0	Cost of collecting sea weed ...	150 0	
<i>Sundries.</i>			Petty expenses ...	300 0	
Petty and incidental collection ...	—	200 0	Cost of erecting a latrine at gala (balance of vote) ...	64 60	
		11,701 0	Pay of watcher, pauper burial ground ...	30 0	3,337 10
			<i>Interest and Sinking Fund on Loans.</i>		
			Part payment of loan and interest ...	—	329 87
			<i>Public Works.</i>		
			Repairs to roads, &c. ...	2,000 0	
			Pay of watchers at waterworks ...	120 0	
			Cost of clearing the reservoir ...	50 0	
			Cost of weeding public grounds ...	150 0	
			Cost of town survey (balance of vote) ...	300 0	
			Pay of watcher, Infectious Diseases Hospital ...	120 0	
			Repairs to Infectious Diseases Hospital ...	50 0	
			Rent of site of watcher's hut at waterworks ...	5 25	
			Cement concrete paving round the main well (balance of vote) ...	202 0	
			Cost of boarding over cistern near Post Office and fixing taps to same (balance of vote) ...	342 0	
			Cost of draining the gala (re-vote) ...	750 0	
			Supplying brushes for the fish market (balance of vote) ...	55 0	4,144 25
			<i>Lighting.</i>		
			Cost of street lighting ...	—	732 0
			<i>Contribution towards Cost of Audit of Accounts.</i>		
			At 1 per cent. on estimated revenue ...	—	117 1
Balance on January 1, 1904 ...	—	2,795 65			11,830 23
		14,496 65	Balance on December 31, 1904 ...		2,666 42
					14,496 65

Certified :

Local Board Office,  
Puttalam, January 20, 1904.S. HALLOCK,  
Member.H. R. FREEMAN,  
Chairman.

## ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road during 1904, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Uva, acting under the provisions of section 23 of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, will on January 30, 1904, at 9 A.M., at their office in Badulla, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

## KOSLANDA TO POONAGALA FACTORY.

Government moiety	Rs. 350
Private contributions	Rs. 350

## 1st section, 1 mile.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage
J. M. Robertson & Co.	Arnhall	174
Do.	Ampitikanda	291
J. Nicol	Macaldeniya	329
C. S. Coombe	Poonagala	266
Poonagala Valley Ceylon, Co., Ltd.	Cabaragala	195
J. R. Bisset	Udahena	260
W. S. Coombe	Lunugala, including Cattoro	632
		<u>2,147</u>

## 2nd section, 1 mile.

J. M. Robertson & Co.	Arnhall	174
Do.	Ampitikanda	291
J. Nicol	Macaldeniya	329
C. S. Coombe	Poonagala	266
Poonagala Valley Ceylon, Co., Ltd.	Cabaragala	195
J. R. Bisset	Udahena	260
W. S. Coombe	Lunugala, including Cattoro	632
		<u>2,147</u>

J. Nicol	Macaldeniya	329
C. S. Coombe	Poonagala	266
Poonagala Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd.	Cabaragala	195
J. R. Bisset	Udahena	260
W. S. Coombe	Lunugala, including Cattoro	632
		<u>1,682</u>

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

F. H. PRICE,  
Chairman.  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Badulla, January 13, 1904.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road for 1903, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the repair of the said road, as follows:—

## PUNDALU-OYA ROAD (between Sangilipalam and Pundalu-oya).

Government moiety	Rs. 818-92
Private contributions	Rs. 818-92

1st to 6th section, 6 miles.

Total acreage, 7,089½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 818-92—  
Rate per acre, 10-8825c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
W. Agar	Rockside, Choisy, Rolleston	815	88	77
Mrs. R. Brown	Meddetenna	172	18	79

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
Mackwood & Co.	Pallerakele	66	7	26
R. E. Prance & J. R. Hughes (Mackwood & Co.)	Wevehena	416	44	35
H. L. Egan	Eton	250½	27	34
Geo. Steuart & Co.	Pundalu-oya north and Mausawa	845	92	3
Geo. Steuart & Co.	Dunsinane	1,786	194	43
J. M. Robertson & Co.	Pundalu-oya South	634	69	7
Do.	Sheen	895	97	47
H. E. Daunt (E. R. Mellersh)	Harrow and Kalluoya	519	56	56
H. L. Egan	Fernlands	271	29	57
Cumberbatch & Co.	Kaipugalla	420	45	78
			<u>771</u>	<u>42</u>

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before January 31, 1904.

	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
N.B.—Private contributions	—	—	818	92
Deduct bank interest	36	88		
Unexpended balance, 1902	10	62		
			<u>47</u>	<u>50</u>
			<u>771</u>	<u>42</u>

S. HAUGHTON,  
Chairman.  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, December 10, 1904.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application having been made to the Governor that the provisions of the Estate Roads Ordinance be extended to the District of Koslanda-Meeriabedde for the improvement, upkeep, and repair of a cart road of an estimated length of about one and a half mile from the Government road at a distance of eleven chains on the Koslanda side of the 118th milepost or exactly opposite the Koslanda rest-house to the Meeriabedde estate factory, the Provincial Road Committee will on Saturday, January 30, 1904, at 9 A.M., at their office in Badulla, proceed to define the limits of the district the estates of which will be assessed for the improvement, upkeep, and repair of the said road. And it is further notified that it is proposed to include the following estates in the district to be assessed.

Proprietors, Agents, or Representatives.	Estates.	Acreage.
George Steuart & Co.	Meeriabedde	901
Do.	Mahakanda	340
Bosanquet & Co.	Deacula	582
Do.	Malvern	149

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

F. H. PRICE,  
Chairman.  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Badulla, January 16, 1904.

## Ratnapura-Malwala Ferry Grant-in-Aid Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that under section 13 of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, Mr. G. M. Crabbe of Mahawala estate has been elected to serve on the Local Committee for the remainder of the term of two years ending June 29, 1905, in place of Mr. R. M. Piele, who has left the district.

M. STEVENSON,  
for Chairman.  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Ratnapura, January 27, 1904.

## JAFFNA MARKETS FUND.

## Statement of Receipts and Expenditure on account of the Markets Fund for the Half-year ended December 31, 1903.

## RECEIPTS.

	Amount.	Total.		Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Balance on June 30, 1903 ...	—	3,345 64	Rent of Elephant Pass market, from January to December, 1903, at Rs. 10 per month ...	120 0	
Rent of Grand Bazaar market, Jaffna, from May to December, 1903, at Rs. 64 per month ...	512 0		Rent of shed in Avarangal market, from July to December, 1903, at Rs. 2·25 per month ...	13 50	
Rent of Chavakachcheri market (old), from June to December, 1903, at Rs. 45 per month ...	315 0		Rent of shed in Kayts market for 1903 ...	3 0	
Rent of Chavakachcheri market (new), from September to December, 1903, at Rs. 11·90 per month ...	47 60		Rent of site of Chatiram in Grand Bazaar, Jaffna, for 1903 ...	0 25	
Rent of Chunagam market, from July to December, 1903, at Rs. 38·77 per month ...	232 62		Rent of room in Changanai market building for November, 1903 ...	5 0	
Rent of Changanai market, from July to December, 1903, at Rs. 24 per month ...	144 0		Fines imposed on market keepers	—	1,812 59
Rent of Point Pedro market, from June to December, 1903, at Rs. 57·16 per month ...	400 12		Proceeds, sale of trees standing on market grounds ...	—	8 43
Rent of Tolpuram market, from July to December, 1903 at Rs. 3·25 per month ...	19 50				96 75
					5,263 41

## EXPENDITURE.

	Amount.	Total.		Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Pay of market keeper, Grand Bazaar, from May to December, 1903, at Rs. 12·50 per month ...	100 0		Hire of market watcher, from May to December, 1903, at Rs. 2 per month ...	16 0	
Pay of market keeper, Chavakachcheri, from March to December, 1903, at Rs. 7·50 per month ...	75 0		Hire of market watcher, from June to December, 1903, at Re. 1 per month ...	7 0	
Pay of market keeper, Chunagam, from July to December, 1903, at Rs. 7·50 per month ...	45 0		Hire of market watcher, from May to December, 1903, at Rs. 3 per month ...	24 0	
Pay of market keeper, Changanai, from January to December, 1903, at Rs. 7·50 per month ...	90 0		Cost of scavenging for June, 1903	114 99	47 0
Pay of market keeper, Point Pedro, from May to July, 1903, at Rs. 10 per month ...	30 0		Cost of scavenging, from July to December, 1903, at Rs. 115 per month ...	690 0	804 99
Pay of market keeper, Point Pedro from September to December, 1903, at Rs. 10 per month ...	40 0		For regulating the tower clock, Jaffna, from June to December, 1903, at Rs. 10 per month ...	—	70 0
Pay of market keeper, Tolpuram for 1903 ...	5 0	385 0	Cost of repairs to tower clock, Jaffna ...	—	33 44
Pay of market sweeper, Grand Bazaar, from May to December, 1903, at Rs. 6 per month ...	48 0		Repairs to fish market, Point Pedro	83 86	
Pay of market sweeper, Chavakachcheri, from May to December, 1903, at Rs. 3 per month ...	24 0		Repairing the fence round Kayts market ...	5 50	
Pay of market sweeper, Chunagam, from June to December, 1903, at Rs. 3 per month ...	21 0		Whitewashing, &c., market buildings ...	33 30	
Pay of market sweeper, Changanai, from May to December, 1903, at Rs. 3 per month ...	24 0		For repairing small bazaar shed ...	22 15	
Pay of market sweeper, Point Pedro, from April to December, 1903, at Rs. 3 per month ...	27 0		For improvement of Chankanai market ...	216 8	
Pay of market sweeper, Elephant Pass, from January to December, 1903, at Rs. 3 per month ...	36 0	180 0	For building a market at Chavakachcheri ...	665 75	
			For repairing Point Pedro market	28 0	
			Repairs to Jaffna Grand Bazaar ...	12 20	
			Refund of value of land sold ...	—	1,066 84
			Proctor's fee for 1903 ...	—	1,450 0
			Miscellaneous ...	—	52 50
			Balance on December 31, 1903	—	27 75
					1,145 89
					5,263 41

J. P. LEWIS,  
Chairman, District Road Committee.

## MANNAR MARKETS FUND.

## Statement of Receipts and Expenditure on account of the Markets Fund for the Half-year ended December 31, 1903.

Date of Deposit. 1903.		RECEIPTS.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
		Balance on July 1, 1903	—	2,075 2
July	15	... Deposited 6th instalment of fish market rent, 1903	20 85	
August	8	... Deposited on account of fish market rent for 1900	10 0	
Do.	17	... Deposited 7th instalment of fish market rent for 1903	20 85	
September	14	... Deposited on account of fish market rent for 1900	10 0	
Do.	15	... Deposited 8th instalment of fish market rent for 1903	20 85	
October	13	... Deposited 9th instalment of fish market rent for 1903	20 85	
November	16	... Deposited 10th instalment of fish market rent for 1903	20 65	
December	22	... Deposited vegetable market rent for 1903	100 0	
Do.	22	... Deposited meat market rent for 1903	50 0	
Do.	31	... Deposited $\frac{1}{2}$ th purchase amount of fish market rent for 1904	41 70	
				315 75
				<u>2,390 77</u>

Date of Payment. 1903.		EXPENDITURE.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
July	3	... Pay of market scavenger for June, 1903	10 0	
August	4	... Pay of market scavenger for July, 1903	10 0	
September	2	... Pay of market scavenger for August, 1903	10 0	
Do.	14	... Charges incurred for repairing the fence round the markets	17 50	
Do.	16	... Proctor's fee, &c., for instituting a civil case against the renter of fish market rent for 1900	20 25	
September	25	... Charges incurred for whitewashing and repairing the floors of the markets	35 25	
October	8	... Pay of market scavenger for September, 1903	10 0	
November	12	... Pay of market scavenger for October, 1903	10 0	
December	7	... Pay of market scavenger for November, 1903	10 0	
Do.	31	... Pay of market scavenger for December, 1903	10 0	
Do.	31	... Hire of tom-tom beater for publishing market rent notices for 1904	0 50	
		Balance on December 31, 1903	—	143 50
				<u>2,247 27</u>
				<u>2,390 77</u>

District Market Committee,  
Mannar, January 16, 1904.

E. B. DENHAM,  
Chairman.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road during 1904, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Uva, acting under the provisions of section 23 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," will on January 30, 1904, at 9 A.M., at their office in Badulla, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

PASSARA TO MADULSIMA ROAD (from 11 $\frac{1}{2}$  to 15 $\frac{1}{2}$  milepost).

Government moiety ... Rs. 1,400  
Private contributions ... Rs. 1,400

1st and 2nd section, 1st and 2nd half miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage
J. M. Robertson & Co.	... Uvakelle	561
G. Stewart & Co.	... Galloola	491
J. M. Robertson & Co.	... Doomoo	298
Whittall & Co.	... Batawatta	364
Do.	... Forest Hill	387
Bosanquet & Co.	... Wewebedde	334
Cumberbatch & Co.	... Cocagala	1,053
		<u>3,488</u>

Proprietors or Agent.	Estates.	Acreage.
3rd section, 3rd half mile.		
G. Stewart & Co.	... Galloola	491
J. M. Robertson & Co.	... Doomoo	298
Whittall & Co.	... Batawatta	364
Do.	... Forest Hill	387
Bosanquet & Co.	... Wewebedde	334
Cumberbatch & Co.	... Cocagala	1,053
		<u>2,927</u>
4th and 5th sections, 4th and 5th half miles.		
J. M. Robertson & Co.	... Doomoo	298
Whittall & Co.	... Batawatta	364
Do.	... Forest Hill	387
Bosanquet & Co.	... Wewebedde	334
Cumberbatch & Co.	... Cocagala	1,053
		<u>2,436</u>
6th to 9th sections, 6th, 7th, and 8th half miles, and 9th last quarter mile.		
Whittall & Co.	... Batawatta	364
Do.	... Forest Hill	387
Bosanquet & Co.	... Wewebedde	334
Cumberbatch & Co.	... Cocagala	1,053
		<u>2,138</u>



And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

F. H. PRICE,  
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Badulla, January 13, 1904.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road during 1904, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Uva, acting under the provisions of section 23 of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, will on January 30, 1904, at 9 A.M., at their office in Badulla, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions :—

**BANDARAWELA-LEYANGAHAWELA ROAD.**

Government moiety	... Rs. 500
Private contributions	... Rs. 500

1st section, 1 mile.		Acreage.
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	
H. C. Richmond	... Balagala	... 312
G. C. Anderson	... Leyangahawela	... 692
W. F. Reid	... Broughton	... 485
		1,489
2nd section, 1 mile.		
G. C. Anderson	... Leyangahawela	... 692
W. F. Reid	... Broughton	... 485
		1,177

And the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

F. H. PRICE,  
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Badulla, January 13, 1904.

## UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

### The Agra Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Seventh Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the office of the Colombo Commercial Company, Limited, Slave Island, on Saturday, the 13th day of February, 1904, at 12 noon.

- (1) To receive the report of the Directors and the statement of accounts to the 31st day of December, 1903.
- (2) To declare a dividend.
- (3) To elect a Director.
- (4) To elect an Auditor for 1904.
- (5) To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting.

By order of the Directors,  
COLOMBO COMMERCIAL CO., LIMITED,  
(JOHN G. WARDROP, Manager),  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, January 20, 1904.

### The Pitakande Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Seventh Ordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at the office of the Colombo Commercial Company, Limited, Slave Island, on Saturday, the 13th day of February, 1904, at 11.30 A.M.

- (1) To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts to the 31st December, 1903.
- (2) To declare a dividend.
- (3) To elect a Director.
- (4) To appoint an Auditor for 1904.
- (5) To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting.

By order of the Directors,  
COLOMBO COMMERCIAL CO., LIMITED,  
(JOHN G. WARDROP, Manager),  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, January 20, 1904.

### The Palmerston Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighth Annual General Meeting of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 11, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Thursday, the 18th February, 1904, at 12.30 P.M.

*Business.*

1. To receive the Directors' report and accounts for the year ending 31st December 1903.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting.

By order of the Directors,  
BOIS BROTHERS & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.  
Colombo, January 27, 1904.

### The Donnybrook Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Company will be held at 12 noon on Tuesday, the 9th February, 1904, at the registered office of the Company, Australia Buildings, Colombo.

- (1) To receive the report of the Directors and accounts to December 31, 1903.
- (2) To elect Directors.
- (3) To appoint an Auditor.
- (4) To authorize the Directors to borrow for and on behalf of the Company a sum or sums not exceeding in the whole in the aggregate Rs. 25,000 for the erection and equipment of a Factory on the Donnybrook estate, and to secure the repayment of the sum or sums so to be borrowed by the issue of Debentures of the Company carrying interest at not more than 6 per cent. per annum, upon such terms and conditions as to repayment of principal and payment of interest as the Directors shall think fit and proper.

And transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Directors,  
CARSON & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.  
Colombo, January 28, 1904.

**Gangawatta Estates Company of Ceylon, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Seventh Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at noon on Friday, 5th February, 1904, at the registered office of the Company, No. 14, Queen street, Colombo.

*Business.*

To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts to 31st December, 1903.

To declare a dividend ; to elect a Director ; to appoint an Auditor ; and to transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Directors,  
GEORGE STEUART & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, January 27, 1904.

**The Union Estates Company of Ceylon, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, the 19th day of February, 1904, at 12-30 P.M.

*Business.*

To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the past year

To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting.

By order of the Directors,  
WHITTALL & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, January 28, 1904.

**The Kirklees Estate Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, February 19, 1904, at 11.30 A.M.

*Business.*

To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for past year.

To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting.

By order of the Directors,  
WHITTALL & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, January 28, 1904.

**The Estates Company of Uva, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, the 19th day of February, 1904, at 12 noon.

*Business.*

To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the past year.

To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting

By order of Directors,  
WHITTALL & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, January 28, 1904.

**The Ceylon Standard Press Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company fixed for this day (January 27, 1904) has been adjourned and will be held at No. 15, Chatham street, Fort, Colombo, on Thursday, the 18th February, 1904, at 4.30 P.M., for the purpose of—

(1) Confirming the following special resolution passed at the General Meeting of this Company held on the 16th December, 1903, viz. :—That the Ceylon Standard Press Company, Limited, be wound up voluntarily.

(2) Appointing a Liquidator or Liquidators for the purpose of such winding up and fixing his or their remuneration.

By order of the Directors,  
THOMAS M. PINTOE,  
Secretary.

Colombo, January 27, 1904.

**The Native Traders' Union, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the registered office of the Union on the 30th January, 1904, at 2 P.M.

*Business.*

To confirm the following resolution passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on the 9th January, 1904 :—

To postpone the Ordinary General Meeting to be held soon after the 15th January, 1904, and to hold the same soon after the 30th April, 1904.

By order of the Directors,  
N. H. JINADASA,  
Secretary.  
Divulapitiya,  
Veyangoda, January 12, 1904.

I, BOBAGOLLE NAVARATNA WEERESINGHE, MUDIYANSELAGE TIKIRI BANDA, do hereby give notice, in terms of section 8 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1877, that after three months from the date hereof I intend to apply to His Excellency the Governor to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practise in Sinhalese for the Division of Walapane in the District of Kandy, and that my place of residence and where I intend to practise is Nildandahinna.

January 15, 1904.  
B. TIKIRI BANDA.

විලසනේ සවිපලාන දෙනමුරේ බොරගොල්ලේ නවරත්න විරසිංහමුදියන්සේලාගේ පිකිරි බන්ධා යන මම විසින් වසී 1877නේ නොමිමර 2කේ රෙගුලාසිසේ 8 වෙනි වගන්තිය ප්‍රකාර දැනුම්දෙන්නේ නම්--මෙවන් සිට මාස තුනක් පසුපනතැනේදී මහනුවර දිස්ත්‍රික්කේ විලසනේට සිංහලෙන් නොතාරිස්කෙණේක් හැටියට රජ කාරිකෙරීමට පත්කරණලෙස ගරුතර ආණ්ඩු කාර උතුමානන්වහන්සේට අයදුම්පත්‍රයක් සවන බවද: තවද මගේ පදිනවි සාහසය සහ රජකාරි කරණ සාහසයක් නිල්දණ්ඩාසිත්තේය.

බී. පිකිරිබන්ධා  
වසී 1904ක්වූ ජනවාරි මස  
15 වෙනි දිනදීය.

பொறொல்லை நவரத்ன வீரசிங்க முதலியான் செ  
லாக்கே டிக்கிரி பண்டாரவாகிய நான் 1877 ம் ஆண்டு  
2 ம் கட்டளைச்சட்டத்தின் 8 ம் பிரிவின் பிரகாரம்  
இன்று தொய்த்த மூன்று மாதத்துக்குள் என்னை  
கண்டி டிஸ்திரிக்டு சர்சேர்ந்த வழப்படை பகுதியில்  
சிங்கள பாஷையில் வேலைசெய்தும் நொத்தாரிசாக  
ஏற்றுக்கொள்ளும்படியாக அதியத்தம தேசாதிபதி  
யவர்களுக்கு விண்ணப்பஞ்சசய்ய எண்ணியிருக்கிறே  
ன் எனபதை உத்தரவு வெளிப்படுத்துகிறேன். என  
னுடைய கந்தோர் நிலத்தடைவேளை என்னுமிடத்தி  
லிருக்குப.

பி. டிக்கிரிபண்டா.

1904 ம் (ஸ்ர) தைமீ 15 ந் உ.

THREE months hence I, the undersigned R. E. D. J. Perera, of Maradana, intend to apply to His Excellency the Governor to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public for the District of Kegalla to practise in the Sinhalese language.

Maradana,  
January 11, 1904.

R. E. D. J. PERERA.

மேல்கி டெவன்சன்ஹர்ன் மரடினே படி.வி டார். சீ.  
பி. டீ. பெரேராவை மல மெசின் துன்  
மாவசன் கிசுவாந கறுதரே டீசுநிந்நிகே சிங்க  
லாலைவென் புகிலி நொயார்சகைவைவென் நியா  
கர்மல ருதுலாவன்வென்செயென் ஓர்டீரீவெ டு  
கசீ டுரிலிவெலி திநிகே புகார மெசின் புகார  
கரமீ.

டார். சீ. பி. டீ. பெ ரேர்

வமீ 1904ன்தி பனலாரி மவ 11  
வெலி டீவ மரடினேடிச.

மந்தானப் பிரிவில் வசிக்கும் இதன்மீழ் கையொப்பம்  
வைத்திருக்கும் ஆர். ஈ. டி. ஜே. பெரேற ஆகிய நான் இன்  
று தொடங்கி மூன்று மாதத்தையின் பின்னர் அதியகத்  
துவந்தங்கிய தேசாதிபதி அவர்களிடம் கேகால் டிஸ்திரிக்  
டில் பிரசித்த நொத்தாரிசவாக சிங்களப்பாஷையில் வே  
லைபார்க்க உத்தரவு கொடுக்கும்படி வேண்டிக்கொள்கிற  
னென்பதை இத்தால் சகலருக்கும் அறிவிக்கின்றேன்.

மந்தான, ஆர். ஈ. டி. ஜே. பெரேற.  
1904 ம் (ஸ்ர) தைமீ 11 ந் உ.